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2016 CHEMICAL USAGE FOR CORN AND POTATOES

State-level estimates for 2016 chemical usage for corn and potatoes are now available, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The 2016 Agricultural Chemical Use Survey of corn and potato producers collected data about fertilizer and pesticide use, as well as pest management practices in growing corn and potatoes. The estimates can be accessed using the QuickStats online database, found here: http://www.nass.usda.gov/Quick_Stats/